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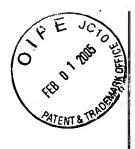
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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, §1.97 and §1.98, the Applicants submit for consideration in the above-identified patent application the document listed on the accompanying Form PTO-1449. Copies of the cited journal articles are not attached because they were previously submitted in US Patent Application No. 10/077,835 from which the present patent application claims priority. The Examiner is requested to make these journal articles of record. The remaining references are not attached hereto, because these references are issued patents or publications which are readily available in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

This Information Disclosure Statement is submitted pursuant to 37 CFR §1.97(c) as it is after receipt of a first Office Action on the merits but before mailing of a final Action or Notice of Allowance. Accordingly, a fee is required pursuant to 37 CFR §1.17(p). A Fee Transmittal form (PTO/SB/17) is attached to this submission.

In addition, Applicants submit for the Examiner's consideration, the prosecution histories of the following co-owned applications/patents, cited by serial number, first named inventor and filing date. The Applicants presume that the Examiner has access to and will review the cited applications/patents and the files thereof for any office actions,

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For any of the following U.S. patent application(s) that are currently pending, the Applicants further presume that the Examiner will consider any future office actions, amendments or other materials in the file thereof that may be relevant to the patentability of the claims herein. If the Applicants' understanding in this regard is not correct, please notify the undersigned so that copies of any such documents can be submitted to the Examiner.

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